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HAD A GOOD YEAR

THE CITY WATER PLANT MADE MONEY THE FIRST YEAR.

IT SHOULD EARN \$8,000

In the Future—What the Report of the Board of Public Works For the First Year Shows.

The following is a statement from the Board of Public Works in regard to what was accomplished at the city water plant for the first year:

The Board of Public Works feels that the people of Maryville are probably interested in knowing the net results of the operation of the water plant for the first year of the city's ownership.

In brief the following figures tell the result:

Cash on hand at the end of the year from operation.....\$3,000.20
Interest paid on water bonds 1,800.00
Unpaid accounts due the city at end of year..... 556.80
Cost value of supplies and fuel on hands..... 798.00

Total net earnings.....\$6,185.00

In addition there was over \$2,500 paid out of the earnings for repairs and petty construction. This is almost double the amount expended annually for such purposes in the last three or four years of the plant under its old ownership and is probably double the amount necessary to expend for such purposes in the future.

It must be kept in mind that money put into petty construction is increasing the value of the plant to that amount. About \$1,250 of the \$2,500 was for petty construction and might be considered with the net earnings.

It is also very easy to understand that the cost of repairs last year, during the reconstruction of the plant, was necessarily much larger than it should be in the future with the plant now in good going condition.

The cost of fuel last year was from \$1,200 to \$1,500 more than in former years, to a very considerable extent due to the conditions existing at the power plant on account of the old pumps, old boilers and the exposed condition of the same during a considerable part of the year, and the further fact that the old standpipe was practically out of service during all of the year, which resulted in continuous pumping against direct pressure and under very unfavorable conditions all around.

The board feels very certain that the fuel cost for this and the following years will be probably \$1,500 less than in the past year.

In the face of the above figures and facts it would seem quite certain that the net earnings of the plant in the future should not be less than \$8,000 in addition to expending such an amount for repairs and renewals as to keep the plant up in good going condition.

It requires something like \$7,900 a year to pay the interest on the water bonds and create the necessary sinking fund to retire the bonds at the end of twenty years, so that the board and the people have every reason to believe that the plant is going to do for the city, in actual dollars and cents even more than was expected at the time it was decided to take over the same. With the increase in patronage which should result from the improved condition of the plant and the increasing population of the city, it would seem that the earnings of the plant should be sufficient to pay for it probably within the first fifteen years. Then it must not be forgotten that by taking over the plant the city prevented an increase in the water rates of approximately 50 per cent, thereby saving to the citizens at least \$4,000 a year in the amount they would have had to pay for the water service. It would therefore seem that there should be no further question or discussion of the financial wisdom of the city owning the plant. In addition to this financial gain we now expect to have a continuous uninterrupted run of superior service and a superior quality of water which is of even

greater value.

The board of public works have not been disposed to do much talking about the plant because they have had enough to contend with in its reconstruction and all of the perils and chances involved therein without indulging in discussions. The patience of the great majority of our people during this perilous and uncertain time has been appreciated, and while at times the service has been unsatisfactory to the people, and more so to the board, we submit if we cannot now all congratulate ourselves that we got through with the hazardous work of reconstructing the vital working parts of the plant with no greater troubles than were experienced. The board feels that it is due to the present administration to say to the people that the patience of the mayor and of the board of aldermen and their willingness at all times and under all circumstances to support and assist the board of public works and the management of the water plant has greatly aided in the results which have been achieved. It is very much to the credit of the mayor and the board of aldermen that they have not allowed political considerations or conditions of any sort to embarrass the water plant.

It should also be remembered by the people that the mayor and board of aldermen were true to the proposition of reducing the general levy and other levies for taxes as not to allow the levy for the water bonds to increase the taxes. In fact, as is generally known, the taxes have been very considerably reduced in the past year. If future administrations are as careful in keeping politics out of the affairs of the water plant and as loyal in support of the best interests of the plant the success of the plant is assured.

It is the intention of the board of public works to soon have the accounts of the water plant audited by experts from the beginning down to date and a detailed financial statement will then be made.

At the present time there remains on hand about \$8,200 of the \$100,000 voted to purchase and improve the plant, which will more than pay for all the work contemplated in the further improvement of the plant and the laying of the new mains.

KIRKSVILLE ADOPTS NEW RULE.

By Almost 2 to 1, Commission Government Won in Missouri Town.

By a vote of 482 to 268 Kirksville yesterday adopted commission government. The vote was about 600 short of the usual vote cast in Kirksville in municipal elections.

PRESIDED AT CONFERENCE HERE.

Bishop Thomas Bowman, Who Died Last Week, Was Known in Maryville.

The funeral of Bishop Thomas Bowman, who died on Tuesday, March 3, was held at Greencastle, Ind., on Friday, March 6. Bishop Bowman presided at the Methodist Episcopal church conference held in Maryville from March 27, to April 2, 1878. During that conference Judge Ira K. Alderman was managing editor of the conference daily and knew Bishop Bowman well.

From the Greencastle paper is an article on Bishop Bowman, written by O. H. Smith, formerly president of the old Maryville seminary.

ECLIPSE THIS EVENING.

Moon Will Pass Into the Shadow a Little Before 9 o'Clock.

A partial eclipse of the moon, almost total, visible here from 8:42 p. m. to 11:44 p. m., will occur Wednesday evening. The size of the eclipse when at its greatest will be about 11 digits, or 11-12 of the moon's diameter.

The first contact of the limbs of the shadow and the moon will take place on the eastern limb of the moon, from which point she will pass eastward and southward, being at her descending node through the earth's black shadow.

The first indications of the eclipse will be visible here at 8:42 p. m., from which time the shadow will increase until 10:13 p. m., lessening from that hour until 11:55 p. m., when the moon will emerge from the earth's shadow.

If the skies are clear an excellent opportunity will be afforded for observing the phenomenon, the only lunar eclipse this year which will be visible in this part of the country.

A partial eclipse of the moon will take place September 4, but the beginning only will be visible in the United States and that on the Pacific coast alone.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Frank went to Bolckow Tuesday evening for a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. F. I. Dunn.

WILL SPEAK HERE

MRS. WEEKS OF KANSAS CITY COMING TO MARYVILLE.

AN ORGANIZATION HERE

Known as Parent-Teacher Association—Meeting in High School Auditorium Thursday Evening.

Mrs. Edwin R. Weeks of Kansas City, vice president of the National Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teachers' association, will be in Maryville Thursday evening to complete the new organization of parents and teachers in Maryville.

The meeting will be held in the high school auditorium at 7:45 o'clock, and everybody interested in the work of the schools is invited to be present.

Mrs. Weeks is a very pleasant and entertaining speaker and all who come will be both edified and happy thereby.

Mrs. Weeks is editor of "Parents and Their Problems," and has had seventeen years' experience as a high school teacher. She is the mother of Miss Ruth M. Weeks, author of "The People's School," the vocational school, and has held office with the National Congress of Mothers since its organization in 1897.

The result of the parent-teachers association in every place has been to double the educational service of the schools, for through it the home and school are brought in such close relationship that parents and teachers work together constantly in the interest of the children. The rearing of children is the greatest of all sciences, and if the present childhood of the country is properly reared the standards of the entire race will be raised. The organization of parents and teachers will interest men and women in a work for purer, truer homes; promote high ideals of marriage and maintain its sacredness and permanence, arouse the whole country to a sense of its duty and responsibility to childhood and surround the childhood of the whole world with that loving, wise care in the impressionable years of life that will develop good citizens, instead of law breakers and criminals; to teach young people opportunities to learn that which will enable them to better perform the duties of parenthood. In short, it is for the purpose of making life interesting, profitable and happy for parents, children and teachers.

The program that will precede Mrs. Weeks' address Thursday evening is as follows:

Invocation, Rev. S. D. Harkness.

Duet, Miss Marie Jones, Miss Nellie Wray.

Address, President Ira Richardson of the Normal.

Solo, Mrs. F. P. Robinson.

Address, Mrs. Weeks.

Business session.

THE KOCH FARM SOLD.

E. F. Wolfert, the Purchaser, Gave \$25,000 for the 288-Acre Tract.

The farm of Dr. C. D. Koch, located four and a half miles east of Maryville, was sold Tuesday to E. F. Wolfert. The farm contains 288 acres and was sold for \$25,000.

BROTHERHOOD BANQUET.

Epworth League Will Serve at First M. E. Church Thursday Evening at 7 o'Clock.

The Brotherhood of the First M. E. church will hold its regular banquet Thursday evening in the church parlors. The Epworth League will serve the banquet at 25 cents per plate.

At the close of the feast the new officers for the Brotherhood will be installed, and other business of importance will be disposed of.

Marriage Licenses.

Earl Stevenson.....Skidmore

Vina Roberts.....Maitland

Wilmer L. Hubbard.....Barnard

Cora L. Sell.....Barnard

Wm. R. Williams.....Burlington Jct.

Viola E. Race.....Burlington Jct.

Lewis Pitts.....Burlington Jct.

Mrs. G. C. Cadwell.....Burlington Jct.

Moving to Excelsior Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Layman left Wednesday morning for their new home at Excelsior Springs, Mo. They have been residents of this county for many years.

Miss Daisy Young went to Bedison Wednesday to spend a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Wright. Her grandfather, better known as Uncle Tommy Wright, is in quite feeble health.

TO ERECT BUILDING

THE MASONIC BODIES ARE FIGURING ON IT.

Y.M.C.A. TO TAKE PART

Various Brotherhoods Are Talking of Helping Out in the Enterprise So as to Get Part of Building.

The Masonic organizations of Maryville have under discussion the erection of a lodge building. It is reported that one of the difficulties in the way is the finding of a suitable renter for the first floor and all or a part of the basement.

Now, it is generally understood that there is a growing sentiment among the brotherhoods of the various churches in favor of a Y. M. C. A.

Here is an opportunity that Maryville people cannot afford to pass by without giving it due consideration. Maryville is greatly in need of some such building where the young people and the old can congregate on Sunday afternoons and at other times for instruction and entertainment. With the Masonic organizations backing such a movement the Y. M. C. A. advocates can more easily afford to pay the rent on the first floor and basement than they could by attempting to raise funds for an adequate Y. M. C. A. building alone.

Towns of smaller population maintain Y. M. C. A. buildings. Why shouldn't Maryville with all its wealth and prosperity maintain a creditable institution of like nature?

The Democrat-Forum suggests that representatives of the various brotherhoods be appointed to meet and discuss plans with representatives of the Masonic organizations for the new building. Everyone boost for a Masonic home and Y. M. C. A. building!

Communication

Motor Propelled Fire Apparatus for Fire Department.

Editor Democrat-Forum. We are now an up-to-date city in most every respect, except our fire fighting fixtures. Every up-to-date city has motor propelled vehicles for that purpose.

Our city has now grown within the last four years from a city of 5,000 to now over 7,000 people. Isn't it a fact that the cause of this is the progressive spirit that prevails among us?

Under the present economical administration our taxes have been reduced, notwithstanding the issuing of a hundred thousand dollars worth of bonds, which have been so invested as to be a revenue producer, instead of a burden upon our taxpaying citizens.

We could sell our present equipment to some smaller city and realize all it is worth, and apply the proceeds on the new equipment.

We own our water plant, we have one of the finest white ways of any city of much larger population. Now why not purchase a motor propelled fire apparatus for our splendid fire-fighting ladders, that we may encourage them and let them know that we appreciate the splendid service that they have given us in the past. We are living in an automobile age, in an age of progress.

Come on, let's be progressive. F. P. REUILLARD.

Brought to Hospital.

Everett East, son of Mr. and Mrs. Miles East of Burlington Junction, was brought to St. Francis hospital Wednesday forenoon. The young man has been very ill of pneumonia, and a silver drainage tube was inserted in one of his lungs to relieve the diseased organ.

To Be Given Friday Night.

On account of illness the concert to be given by the Ravenwood orchestra last Friday night had to be postponed and will be given at the opera house of that town on Friday, March 13.

Mrs. Emory Proffitt of Oregon was a visitor in the city Monday.

W. O. W. Dance

ON Friday, March 13th

IN WOODMEN HALL

A good time is promised

Everybody Invited

IDEA OF A BEAUTIFUL CITY.

Clean Streets and Well Trimmed Shade Trees Come Under the Head of Improvement.

What lovelier setting can be made for a picture than well trimmed shade trees, smooth shaven, well kept lawns and clean streets?

This suggestion was made to a reporter Monday by a Maryville woman, who is always working for the beautifying of her home city. Continuing, she said: "We can have one of the prettiest cities in the state if we will pay attention to the requisite details. It is true some of the lawns in the city are well kept, but there are a great many that pass through the summer without attention, and it is these lawns and parkings which mar the beauty of those adjoining which the property owners spend many hours in putting into shape and then have the beauty of his work taken away by an unsightly lawn or parking adjoining. Some citizens allow the weeds and grass to grow to unsightly height, the tin cans to stack up in the back yards, pieces of the last new calico dress of the numerous kiddies frequently in evidence, the tail feathers of the last slaughtered rooster blowing gracefully hither and yon, the pieces of the last Sunday supplement waving in the breeze and at last wearily reposed on the next door neighbor's smooth shaven lawn.

Thus it is at present. Wearied of efforts to have beautiful lawns, the cry goes up from these disheartened ones, is there no way to awaken civic pride in our town. We have good people; no city has better. Now when the breath of spring is in the air, the house cleaning spirit pervading each home, let us broaden out and decide we will not be the ones who will be a drawback to our neighbors, but will each do our own part. It has been suggested that when women take hold of a project they do not let go until they accomplish their object. Could we not raise a spirit of emulation, call neighbors together and ask each one to aid in making ours the prettiest kept block or street in the city?

Making all efforts toward harmony and beauty we can have a city of which we may be proud. Women of Maryville, you who listen to no cry in vain, will you help to beautify each your own yard and help your neighbor?

WILL BE HELD MAY 9.

Eighth Grade Commencement and Field Meet For Jefferson Township at That Time.

The teachers of Jefferson township have met and organized for the eighth grade commencement and field meet and have set the date for May 9, 1914.

The officers elected are as follows: Managers—M. Maura and Miss Margaret McCann; secretary, Miss May Allen; treasurer, Miss Maude Winslow; committee of field meet, D. M. Feagans and Prof. W. M. Oakerson.

The following events were decided upon for the field meet:

50 yard dash and return, for boys of grades 6, 7 and 8.

50 yard dash, for boys of grades 3 and 4.

50 yard dash, for boys of grades 1 and 2.

Ball throwing contest, for girls of grades 6, 7 and 8.

50 yard dash, for girls of grades 1 and 2.

50 yard dash, for girls of grades 3, 4 and 5.

High Jump, for boys of grades 6, 7 and 8.

Running Broad Jump, for boys of grades 3, 4 and 5.

Hitting Contest, for girls of grades 5, 6, 7 and 8.

Sack Race, for boys and girls of grades 2, 3 and 4.

TO LECTURE HERE.

Dr. P. I. Fulkerson of St. Joseph to Talk On the Care of the Eyes.

The general public is cordially invited to attend the lecture to be given Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at the court house by Dr. P. I. Fulkerson of St. Joseph on the care of the eyes. The State Medical society arranged for Dr. Fulkerson to come here for the County Medical society.

Miss Dena Bolin of Franklin, Neb., who has been visiting the family of T. J. Chesney of Stanberry, was in Maryville Wednesday on her way home.

Mrs. J. H. Blackwell went to Moberly Wednesday to visit her parents.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Thursday; rising temperature Thursday; moderate north winds becoming variable.

FOR A FLAG CITY

G. W. LIEBER, FORMERLY OF MARYVILLE, STARTS MOVEMENT.

OKLAHOMA CITY PLACE

The Rotary Club Daily News Compares George W. Lieber With George Washington.

An effort is being made by the Rotary club of Oklahoma City, Okla., to make that city the Flag City of the nation.

George W. Lieber, formerly of Maryville, started the movement, and for two or three weeks past has left his desk in the Times-Journal Publishing company's office to sell flags throughout the city.

The Rotary club is publishing a little daily newspaper of business news about Oklahoma City business men, their visitors, their weekly luncheons and the speakers, thereof, and the number we received Wednesday morning has announcement of the opening of a new store, a flag store, the first one in town, and made necessary by the flag idea George Lieber started. It is run by the committee on decoration for the coming stockmen's convention, and all profit on the flags sold go to the fund for decorating the streets for that occasion, and the claim has never been disputed that Oklahoma City has the cleanest streets of any western city.

Here is what the Daily Rotary News says about Mr. Lieber:

Like our beloved own G. W. of revolutionary fame,

In love of flag, love of country, and likewise him in name;

But in no page of history can we find a place where he

Is like his noted namesake as regards the cherry tree.

With a name of this kind it is no wonder he is working day and night to make Oklahoma City the flag city of the nation. He just can't help it, and what is more he is succeeding. Oklahoma City Rotary is proud indeed to possess a member of this kind and the least we can say is that we are for you, George, good and strong.

Like a great many of our boys, he was born in the good old "show me" state. The place was Maryville, which is in Nodaway county, the banner corn county of the world. It alone raises more corn than many of our states. The time of his birth is March 19th, but the rest seems to be veiled in mystery. Your editor was unable to ascertain just the year of this memorable event, and from his youthful appearance we are reluctant to hazard a guess.

Up to the time of his early manhood his favorite occupation was wood sawing. If he can saw wood as well as he does other things, we venture no old Missouri buck saw ever got the best of him. On some mornings he would get up early and saw up a few cords just to give him an appetite for breakfast.

Since coming to Oklahoma he has been in several different lines of business. He sold toys and novelties for a few months, bought cotton and operated a gin during one season, kept books and sold coal and feed, but finally landed in a business about fifteen years ago that seemed to meet all requirements, the printing line.

For nearly fifteen years he has been connected with the Times-Journal Publishing company, the oldest established concern in the state of Oklahoma in the printing trade.

They have recently enlarged their plant by adding 25x140 feet to their floor space and it is one of the offices in our city where the glad hand is always out, whether you call on business or in a social way. It is said of the employees of this concern that they all work with the management and not for them as is so often the case in manufacturing institutions.

Miss Cora Snapp of New York City, who has been visiting in Maryville several days in the home of Nathaniel Sisson, went to Kansas City Wednesday morning.

We Have Moved

To Our New Location

One Door South of Montgomery Shoe Co.

H. T. CRANE

SOCIAL

At Christian church, Thursday night, March 12, 8 o'clock.

Program for one hour—"Last Day of School."

Social hour—Fun and fun.

Refreshments served by the Endeavor society.

Come. We serve the eats.

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POLITICAL NOTES.

(By Democratic Press Bureau.)
The Democratic income tax will bring in something like a hundred million dollars the first year. Rich folks pay every penny of this sum. The Democratic tariff will reduce the cost of sugar, clothing, shoes, woollens, etc., to the extent of a hundred million dollars the first year, and every penny of this saving will remain in the hands of the earners and consumers of this country. In taxing wealth on the one hand and relieving the earner and consumer on the other, the Democratic party, like a good rule, is working both ways to fine advantage.

The latest testimonial to the merits of the Wilson administration come from Ex-President Taft and Chairman Hill of the Republican national committee, both of whom find much to commend and nothing to criticize in the course the Democratic president has pursued. With a united Democratic party behind him and with plenty of praise and commendation from leaders of the opposition party the president begins his second year under auspices unprecedented in all the history of the United States.

Charged With White Slavery.

The federal grand jury in session at St. Joseph this week returned a true bill against Thomas W. Miller, charged with white slavery. Miller is accused of having taken a woman from Red Oak, Ia., to Maryville, and was arrested at this place several months ago. He has been in jail at Savannah.

R. McClurg, Conception, a brakeman for the Chicago Great Western railroad, reported to the police last night that considerable clothing belonging to him was stolen from a box car in the Chicago Great Western yards.—St. Joseph Gazette.

Fern To-night

7-8-9 p. m.

By Man's Low

Biograph drama in two reels, this is a strong story with a moral.

The Girl in the
House Boat
An Edison Drama

ADMISSION
5 and 10c

A CHILD'S LAXATIVE IS "SYRUP OF FIGS"

They Love to Take It and It Doesn't
Harm the Tender Little Stomach,
Liver and Bowels.

If your little one's tongue is coated, it is a sure sign the stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once. When your child is cross, peevish, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, eat or act naturally; if breath is bad, stomach sour, system full of cold, throat sore, or if feverish, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the clogged-up, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again.

Sick children needn't be coaxed to take this harmless "fruit laxative." Millions of mothers keep it handy because they know its action on the stomach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure. They also know a little given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeiters sold here. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Don't be fooled!—Advertisement.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—14,000. Market slow. Estimate tomorrow, 5,000.
Hogs—31,000. Market weak; top, \$8.75. Estimate tomorrow, 2,600.
Sheep—32,000. Market 10c lower.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—4,000. Market strong.
Hogs—7,000. Market weak; top, \$8.70.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,000. Market strong.
Hogs—4,000. Market slow; top, \$8.60.
Sheep—5,000. Market slow.

Auto Livery Always

ALL-WAYS

Homer W. Shipp
Roy A. Yeaman
at Wilderman's Garage

We have many difficult cases of eyeglasses to deal with—optical defects—that only glasses will relieve. You may have had other glasses that did not suit you, and been thoroughly disgusted with them, but that is no reason why you shouldn't take time to get glasses that are worth while. Not any glasses, but ones that are exactly suited to your eyes. Our examinations are thorough and accurate. When will you call?

H. T. CRANE
Jeweler and Optician.

F. M. Ryan, M.D.

Internal Medicine
And Assistant Surgeon

Geo. A. Nash, M.D.

Surgery and Diseases
of Women

SPECIAL PRICES FOR

Thursday, Friday and Saturday

FOR CASH OR PRODUCE

100 pounds Granulated Sugar	\$4.40
3 Cans Red Kidney Beans	.25
3 Cans Huminy	.25
3 Cans Kraut	.25
3 Cans Pink Salmon	.25
3 Cans Pumpkin	.25
Libby's Pork and Beans, 15c size	.10
3 Cans Gold Sweet Corn	.25
15c Package Corn Flakes	.10
4 Dozen Clothes Pins	.05
Good Navy Beans, per pound	4c
Whole Jap Rice, 5 pounds for	.25
Try our Gilt Edge Flour	1.10
Gold Leaf	1.05

Every Sack Guaranteed

With Every \$3.00 Order we will give FREE—ONE MEAT PLATTER, worth from 30 to 40c.

OUR NEW WALL PAPER is in, let us figure your bill for you. We also have a nice line of STAPLE DRY GOODS, AND NOTIONS of all kinds.

Childress Department Store

North Side Square

AN OLD RESIDENT OF HOPKINS.

Mrs. Nancy Cook Had Lived in Vicinity of Hopkins Over Fifty Years—Funeral Thursday.

Mrs. Nancy J. Cook of Hopkins, widow of the late William P. Cook of that place, died at her home at 2 o'clock Wednesday morning of a paralytic stroke she received Tuesday morning. W. T. Boatwright and Mrs. Ira Bailey of near Maryville were called to her bedside Tuesday noon.

It is expected the funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at the Baptist church in Hopkins. Mrs. Cook was past 84 years of age. She had been a resident of Nodaway county since 1846, coming here from Kentucky. Her husband died in 1911. She is survived by four children.

St. Patrick's and all kinds of post cards at Crane's.

St. Patrick's and all kinds of post cards at Crane's.

FOR SALE—Home canned fruit at 1303 East Second street. 11-13

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Agee and daughter of Whitesville, who have been visiting with Mrs. George Meek and family, returned home Wednesday.

Miss Jennie Purviance of North Buchanan street went to Savannah Wednesday morning to visit Mrs. Otis Morrison.

HOW A BROOKLYN GIRL

Got Strong and Well Again.

Grace D. Lamb of Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "I was all run down and on the verge of nervous prostration. I could not sleep for pain in my back. In all I was a wreck. A friend told me what Vinol had done for her little girl so I tried it. I noticed an improvement after the first bottle. I could sleep well, my appetite improved, and after taking three bottles I am strong and well again."

Vinol is the most efficient strength creator for such women. It is the medicinal elements of the cod's livers contained in Vinol aided by the blood making and strengthening properties of tonic iron which makes it so far superior to all other tonics to build up health and strength for weak, tired, ailing women. It contains no oil and has a delicious taste.

We give back your money if Vinol does not do all that we claim.—Orean-Henry Drug Co., Maryville, Mo.—Advertisement.

With Sewell & Carter.

Mart Carmichael, formerly of Hopkins, has moved to Maryville and will be with Sewell & Carter as salesman for Overland and Cadillac cars.

Miss Verdia Daniel of Barnard, a Conservatory student, who has been confined to the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Spier of this city for a week on account of illness from acute indigestion, was able to return home Tuesday evening. She was accompanied by Mrs. Spier.

CATARRH VICTIMS

Use Hyomei—You Breathe It.

It's the right-to-the-point remedy not only for catarrh, but for head colds, sniffles, bronchitis, laryngitis or croup of children. You breathe it—no stomach dosing.

You will like Hyomei. It not only gives instant and lasting relief, but is entirely harmless, pleasant to use, and economical. Money refunded by the Orean-Henry Drug Co. if you are not benefited.

Hyomei is a combination of antiseptic oils that mixes with the air and quickly reaches the irritated and inflamed membrane of the nose. It's sure and safe healing begins immediately—you feel better at once.

If suffering from watery eyes, husky voice, discharge from the nose, or that choked-off feeling, try Hyomei now—today. All druggists sell it. Ask for the complete outfit.—\$1.00 size.

\$10-GIVEN AWAY IN PRIZES-\$10

By the Snow Drop Poultry Yards, home of White Wyandottes. Write for particulars.

Buy eggs of me and be the winner of a prize.

Eggs, \$1.00 per 15; \$5.00 per 100 right at your door by parcel post. I won at Maryville show 1913, 1st pen, 1st and 2d cockerel, 1st hen, 2d pullet. Write or phone your order to

O. V. PUGSLEY,
Ravenwood, Mo.

Cockroaches Rats and Mice

Nothing is more disagreeable than a home infested with vermin. Destroy them with Stearns' Electric Rat and Roach Paste, the standard exterminator for thirty-five years. It kills off rats, mice and cockroaches in a single night. Ready for use; no mixing. Does not blow away like powders.

Directions in 15 languages in every package. Two sizes, 25c and 50c. Sold by retailers everywhere.

RIGHT AWAY

The high cost of living in Maryville, as far as meats are concerned, Will be Materially

REDUCED

For more reasons than one. But mainly because President Wilson and his party have said that such should be the case. So we feel, in due respect to Mr. Wilson, that the time is ripe to fulfill at least a part of that promise to the general public. Hence beginning tomorrow morning we will sell:

All Steaks at, per pound.....20c
Plate Boils, per pound.....12 1-2c
Best Roasts, per pound.....16 2-3c
We have 5,000 pounds of choice home rendered lard which we will sell while it lasts 2 pounds for.....25c

"A WORD TO THE WISE IS SUFFICIENT"

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A. VANDERSLOOT, CITY MEAT MARKET

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N. B.—We have Auto Delivery
Our Motto: "Prompt and Efficient Service."

Mrs. Catherine Brady of Plattsburg, who has been visiting Maryville friends returned home Wednesday morning.

Judge and Mrs. I. K. Alderman went to St. Joseph Wednesday morning to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. Dale V. Alderman.

Mrs. Richard Hardenbrook of Bedford, Ia., who has been visiting the families of Eugene Ogden, Frank Goodspeed and O. A. Spickerman, returned home Wednesday.

Franklin county lump or nut coal, \$5.00 per ton. WM. EVERHART.

Mrs. Elmer Walker and family and Miss Neva Walker, who have been living west of Maryville, left Tuesday evening for their new home, near Aurora, Kan.

St. Patrick's and all kinds of post cards at Crane's.

SPECIAL

Our Pre-Inventory sale closes Sat., March 14, only a few days left to take advantage of this grand opportunity to buy good goods at right prices.

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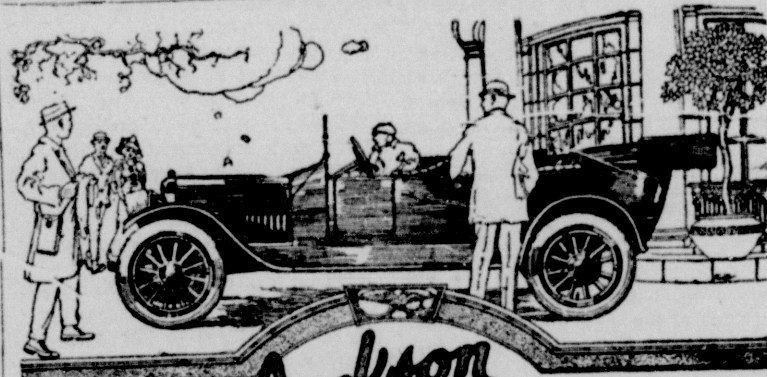
JAS. STEWART, who has had 30 years experience, has charge of our watch repairing department. We can get all of the service out of your watch that there is in it, even down to the last tick. Let us try it—Is all We Ask.

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Our Spring Woolens are here. If you are in need of a Spring Suit, Overcoat, Extra Trousers, we will be glad to show you. Our Woolens are exclusive patterns and are now in stock.

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"Olympic" . . . \$1435
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Scene From Second Act "WITHIN THE LAW"

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Informal Evening Party.

Miss Nellie Campbell entertained informally a company of eight at cards and a luncheon Tuesday evening.

Announce Engagement.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lanning of this city announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Velma, to Verlin Conley, son of J. M. Conley of this city. The wedding will take place Wednesday, March 25.

Reynolds-Proffitt.

A quiet wedding took place Monday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of Dennis Reynolds, when his son, Lome Reynolds, and Miss Ina Proffitt of Oregon, Mo., were united in marriage, the Rev. Hale officiating. The guests were immediate relatives. After the ceremony refreshments were served.

Social Neighbors Club Met.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Ringgold entertained the Social Neighbors club at their home on Friday evening, March 6. A two-course luncheon was served by the hostess, which was enjoyed by all. A short business meeting was then held and the remainder of the evening was spent in music, games and social conversation. The next meeting will be in four weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ellet Trueblood.

Theater and Luncheon.

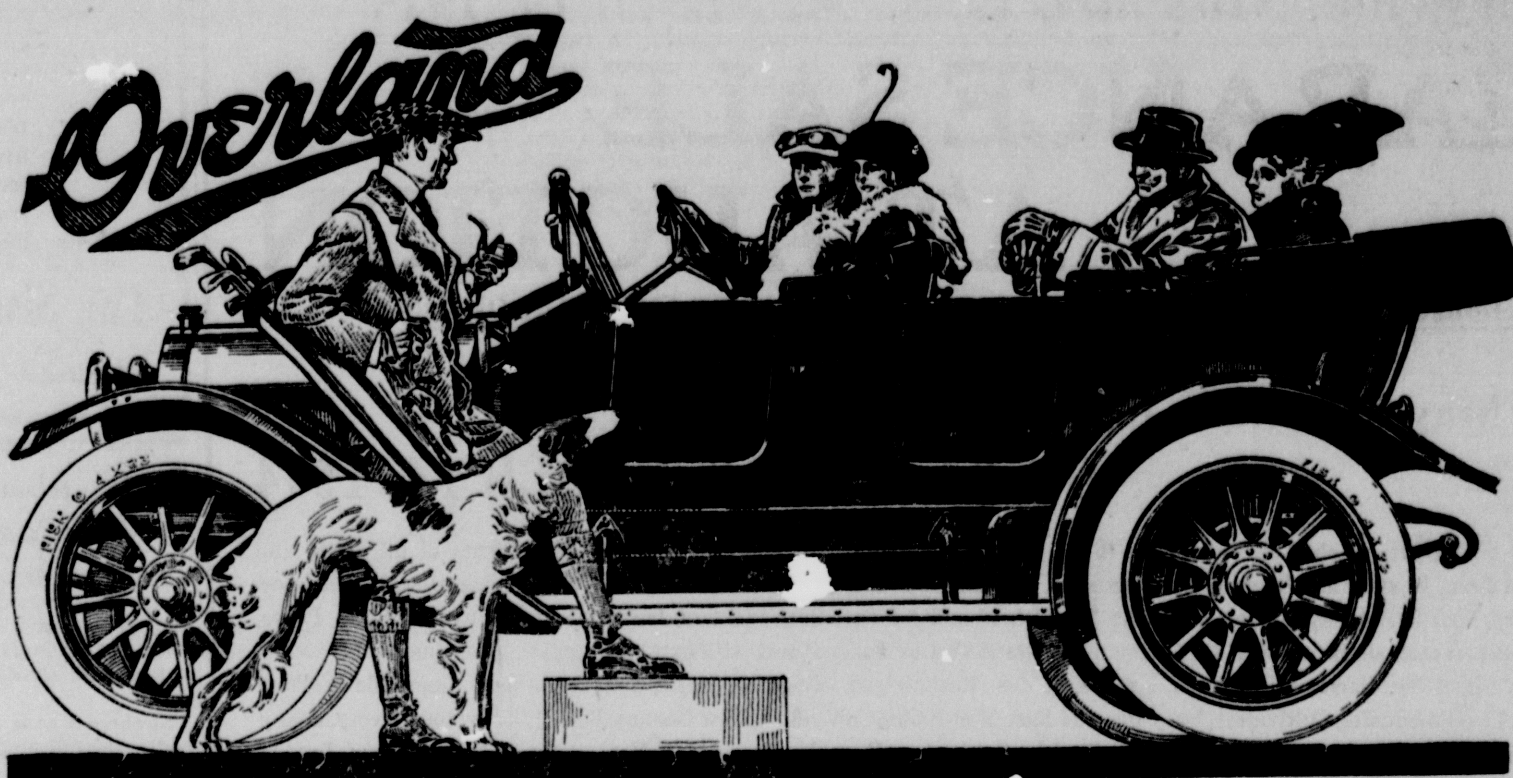
The Merry Minglers club, whose membership includes a number of young people living south of Maryville, met at the Carnegie library Monday evening and attended the picture show at the Empire. After the theater they enjoyed luncheon at the Candy Kitchen. The members present were Misses Edna Gray, Helen and Mildred Wamsley, May Shipp, Margaret Bolin, Pauline Woodward, Messrs. Chester and Earl Espey, Fay Corrough, George Wamsley, Ray Shipp, Frank and Fred Gray.

Miss DeHart Wins Honor.

Miss Maurine DeHart of Cameron, sister of Mr. Louis DeHart of this city, has become eligible to membership in the Kappa Phi sorority through certain scholastic attainments made this year at Stephens college at Columbia, Mo., where she entered last September. Miss DeHart was one of 16 out of 120 girls who were able to meet the requirements of the Kappa Phi sorority. The scholastic standing for membership must be gained the first semester. Miss DeHart has frequently visited her brother in Maryville, was a student at the summer school of the Normal last year, and was one of the most popular girls of the school. Her friends here will be glad to know of her success.

Shakespeareans Gave Program.

There was an unusually large attendance of the members of the Shakespearean and Arts and Crafts departments of the Twentieth Century club Tuesday afternoon, when Mrs. C. C. Corwin was hostess. The two departments met at that time as a compliment to Mrs. S. R. Beech, who has always been a prominent member of



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From a **mechanical** standpoint—the Overland chassis is one of the finest and most finished pieces of mechanism in the world. Parts are machined on the most expensive automatic machinery until they are accurate to one-thousandth of an inch. Producing millions of parts for 50,000 cars makes it possible for us to employ the very latest and costliest mechanical equipment. Mechanically no car—regardless of price—could be better.

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Company**
"HOME OF SAVINGS"
Maryville, - Missouri

both divisions of the club, and will soon sever her relations with them.

The program, acts 4 and 5 of "As You Like It," was given by the Shakespeareans. Mrs. M. G. Tate gave the outline of act 4, and Mrs. George Robert Eaton, Mrs. M. J. Honnold, Mrs. F. G. Shoemaker and Mrs. G. B. Holmes answered the following questions: Account for Jaques' interest in Orlando and in Rosalind. Is it owing to their youth? How old do you take Jaques to be? How do you defend the forwardness of many of Shakespeare's heroines in love making? What is said of a woman's wit? What is Celia's humorous comment on Rosalind's ecstatic state? What new aspect of Rosalind is seen in her reading of the letter of Phoebe? What message does Rosalind send?

The outline of act 5 was given by Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend. The questions regarding this act were answered by Mrs. Anderson Craig, Mrs. Beech and Mrs. D. J. Thomas. They were: Why has William not been introduced before? What points of autobiography does Touchstone furnish? What becomes of Jaques after the company in the forest disappears? What is his prophecy for each of the men? Why has he no words for the women? Why are almost the last words of the drama in character given to him to speak? The general discussion of the afternoon's study was led by Mrs. Thomas. Current events were given by Mrs. E. G. Orear and the word drill by Miss Grace Langan.

The guests remained for tea with their hostess and a delightful social

time was enjoyed with the honor guest, Mrs. Beech, who was presented a bouquet of violets.

Entertained Friends.

A very pretty party was given Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Thompson, east of Guilford, by their younger daughter, Miss Evelyn, complimentary to Misses Ruth and Marie Beahm, who will soon leave for their new home in Kansas. The evening was spent in playing games and music. On their departure the guests expressed themselves as having spent a most delightful evening. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. Homer Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Thompson, Mrs. Lizzie Allen, Misses Ruth and Marie Beahm, Roxie Young, Mary Wilson, Otha Rime, Bird Wilson, Phema Potts, Maysel Hinkle, Getha Laughlin, Celta McGeorge, Virginia Thompson, Lorene Thompson, Beulah Thompson of Barnard, Messrs. Ava Giffin, Albert and Henry Potts, Clyde Cofer, Virgil, Russell and Harvey Laughlin, Charles Beahm, Roland Richards, Donald and Harold Allen, Kenneth Hinkle, Clarence Summers, Chester and Warren Wilson, Lawrence Young.

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Mrs. J. F. Montgomery and Miss Ruth Montgomery went to St. Joseph Wednesday morning for a short visit with Miss Pearl McClurg.

Mrs. James Thompson of Barnard returned home Tuesday evening from a visit with her sister, Mrs. S. A. Hutchison, South Fillmore street.

THE EMPIRE THEATRE 11th WEDNESDAY, MARCH

THE AMERICAN PLAY CO., ARCH SELWYN,
Managing Director Presents

The Globe Girdling Sensation

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SEAT SALE BEGINS MONDAY

Prices: — 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50

Maryville, Missouri, U. S. A. March 14, 1914

CLEARANCE SALE AT AUCTION

Auctioneer, COL. R. P. HOSMER

Clerk, FRANK ROELOFSON

That We May Materially Reduce Our Stock
ON SATURDAY, MARCH 14, 1914

At 1 o'clock p. m. sharp, we shall offer at auction to the highest bidder, Farm Machinery and Farm Implements of all kinds and colors, consisting of Great Western and International Spreaders, McCormick Binders, Mowers and Hay Rakes, Peter Schuttler, Mitchell and Rock Island Wagons; Rock Island Hay Loader, Janesville, Rock Island and J. I. Case Corn Planters, Janesville and Kingman Gang Plows, all with extra soft center steel shares; Janesville, Kingman and Grand Detour Sulky Plows, with extra soft center steel shares; Janesville Kingman and Rock Island Disc Harrows, Peg Tooth Harrows, St. Joe, Rock Island, Kingman, Eagle, Emerson and Janesville Walking Plows, John Deere Two-Row Riding Cultivators, Busy Bee and Fast Mail Riding Cultivators, New Century Riding Cultivators, Avery, Jenny Lind, Sattley, and Janesville Walking Cultivators, Janesville Disc Cultivators, **Best in America**; Harrow Carts, Disc Harrow Tongue Trucks, Kemper Furrow Openers, best made; St. Joe, Rock Island and Eagle Listers; Campbell and Hoosier Corn Drills, Endgate Seeders and a Thousand Other Things You are Needing. **We have the goods and they must move.**

On this day we shall have on exhibition, propelled by International Engines, Corn Planters and Feed Grinders, and it will be worth your while to see all this.

The purpose of this sale is not money, but its an effort to dispose at your price, one of the largest stocks of Farm Machinery and Farm Implements in Northwest Missouri; and not an old or second hand article to be offered. Its not an annual opening, nor a discount sale, **BUT ITS THE REAL STUFF.**

The terms of this sale are, without the slightest deviation, Spot Cash or a note that looks good to me, due January 1st, 1915, adding interest at the rate of 8 per cent from date. All goods must be settled for on the day of sale, and if you don't need the goods don't bid, for all responsible parties will be required to fulfill the agreement.

SPECIAL, Barring Binders, Mowers, Spreaders, Wagons, and Hay Loaders; all goods will be delivered at your station.

Hand Picked, Free From Buck Horn, Clover Seed, \$10.50 per bushel

"Of Course", HOLT For High Prices.

CENTENARY.

Blackbirds in great numbers are welcoming spring.

The Centenary Sunday school is steadily increasing. Sunday we had fifty-four in attendance.

On Tuesday night, March 17, there is to be an oyster supper at Centenary church. This supper is given by the men. Everybody cordially invited. Fresh oysters will be served.

March 10 was the day set aside for painting the church outside, but this was postponed on account of the weather.

The Woman's Missionary society will hold their next meeting the first Thursday in April at Mrs. N. B. Shrewsbury's.

Aunt Martha Logan, who has been critically ill, is some better.

Ray Barker visited over Sunday at Elmo.

Mrs. N. B. Shrewsbury and Sallie McDonald spent Monday with Mrs. Lester Linville, helping paper.

Dollie McDonald, who is teaching at Overton, Nev., writes they are having floods in that part of the country to the extent that it has stopped the mail for several days at a time.

Ralph Strader of Maryville, who is teaching at Fairfax, visited home folks Saturday and Sunday.

I. D. Tarpley, who has been suffering with ulcerated teeth, is better after a visit to Dr. Jesse Miller's Saturday. He was not able to be at Sunday school Sunday.

N. B. Shrewsbury had an attack of grip and was not able to attend Sunday school Sunday.

Mrs. Glen Jones, who has been a patient at St. Francis hospital, is much improved but not yet able to come home.

I. D. Tarpley was called to Oklahoma by the death of his niece, Allie Tarpley. While there he visited with Jerry and Doc Albright and found them in the best of health and spirits.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Agee of Whitesville visited in Maryville Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. George Meek.

Mrs. Patrick J. O'Donnell of near Arkoe was shopping in Maryville Tuesday.

Home From Hospital.

C. F. Gittings of Clyde came to Maryville Wednesday morning and accompanied Mrs. Gittings home from St. Francis hospital. Mrs. Gittings was operated on for appendicitis two weeks ago and is recovering nicely.

Railway Official Here.

Superintendent J. C. Ferritor of the Illinois Traction system at Staunton, Ill., visited his brother, Agent E. L. Ferritor of the Wabash, Wednesday forenoon.

Operated On at Hospital.

Mrs. John L. Coleman of South Main street was operated on Wednesday morning at St. Francis hospital for appendicitis.

On Visit to Daughter.

Christian Schaaf went to Columbia, Mo., Wednesday for a two months' visit with his daughter, Mrs. Wyatt.

Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the
ARKOE STATE BANK,
At Arkoe, state of Missouri, at the close of business on the 4th day of March, 1914, published in the Democrat-Forum, a newspaper printed and published at Maryville, state of Missouri, on the 11th day of March, 1914:

Resources.
Loans and discounts, undoubtedly good on personal or collateral \$20,493.46
Overdrafts 866.60
Real estate (banking house) 1,580.40
Other real estate 750.00
Furniture and fixtures 1,208.39
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check 16,972.02
Cash items 113.50
Currency 1,086.00
Specie 694.01

Total \$43,764.38

Liabilities.
Capital stock paid in \$10,000.00
Surplus fund 200.00
Undivided profits, net 1,102.62
Individual deposits subject to check 28,629.30
Time certificates of deposit 3,832.46

Total \$43,764.38
State of Missouri, county of Nodaway, ss.

We, Samuel Corrough as president, and J. T. Goff as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

SAMUEL CORROUGH, President.
J. T. GOFF, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of March, A. D. nineteen hundred and fourteen.

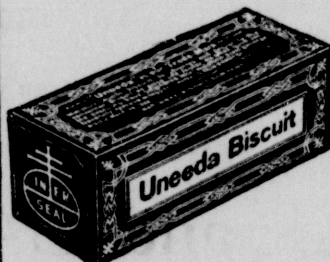
Witness my hand on the date last aforesaid.
(Seal)

H. L. HOPKINS,
Justice of the Peace.

Correct—Attest:
N. J. VICKERY,
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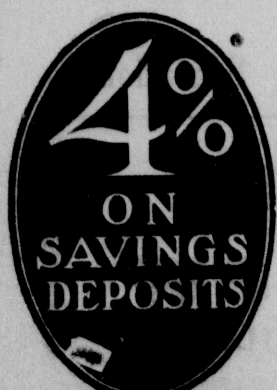
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The 433,000,000 bushel grain crop of Saskatchewan and Alberta yielded \$235,000,000 to the farmers last year. This represents the partial yield of less than 15 per cent of the available land under cultivation. Millions upon millions of acres of the finest arable land in the world awaits the plough—YOUR PLOUGH.

The annual increase in the world's population establishes an ever-growing market, and nowhere can you find more ideal conditions for grain raising than Western Canada affords. Grain growing, however, is but one item in the success of the Canadian farmer.

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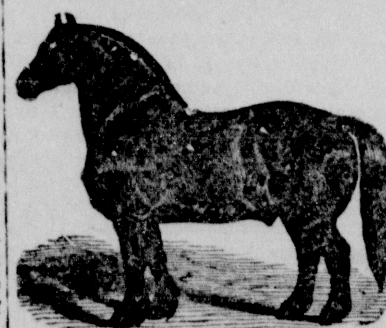
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PURE BRED Shorthorn bulls and heifers for sale. Ogden & Son. 30-12

FOUND—Fountain pen. Ed Brewer, at Maco print shop. 10-12

WANTED—Washing by Mrs. Esther Reynolds, 210 Water street. 9-11

FOR SALE—Shorthorn bulls. August King, Clyde, Mo. 23-12

FOR SALE—6 showcases, 1 No. 494 Howe scales, 1 flat top desk, 1 coffee mill. D. E. Hotchkiss. 9-11

WANTED—I want to rent a good 5 or 6-room house by March 15. Ed Brewer, at Maco Print Shop. 27-12

WANTED—An experienced man to work on farm by month. Farmers phone 411. 9-11

FOR SALE—Library table, buffet, iron bed with brass trimmings, amberola. 201 West Second street. 9-11

FOR RENT—Rooms for or without light housekeeping. 324 East Fourth street.

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CAR of No. 2 yellow corn on Wabash track in a few days at 68c. Yowell & Son. 11-13

FOR RENT—Very desirable furnished room in modern house. Close in. Phone 6510. 11-13

LOST—Pair lady's 1-button heavy white kid gloves, in or near Fern theater. Phone 443. 11-13

FOR SALE—Sow and nine shoats. J. D. Bolin, 802 East Third street. 11-13

FOR SALE—Clover, timothy and alsike hay, corn and seed oats. Guy E. Stults, Farmers phone 4014. 10-12

FOR RENT—House wired for electricity. See Maryville Electric Light and Power Co. Hanamo 21. 21-20

LOST—Gold hat pin with two ruby sets, between South Buchanan and Hotchkiss' store. Hanamo 608. 10-12

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room. Apply 613 North Market street. 10-12

FOR SALE—Shorthorn bulls at farmers' prices. Martin Gross & Sons. 10-12

LOST—A collie dog at Pierpoint's sale, March 4th. Call C. T. Porter. Farmers phone 1712.

FOR TRADE—Equity in well improved farm in Oklahoma for property in Maryville or Conception. E. E. Cook. 10-16

FOR SALE—Beautiful lot on paved street. Water and sewer connection. Inquire Vess Dooley, Clarinda, Ia. 10-9

FOR SALE—The iron fence in front of my residence. Will sell in sections to suit purchaser. Joseph Jackson, Sr. 10-12

FOR SALE—One lot, 5-room house, city water, 315 South Market street. A bargain. For particulars inquire 309 West First street. Sarah E. Wright. 10-12

Old Trusty Incubators.
100 egg size \$9.80
150 egg size \$12.50
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FOR SALE—Fancy Bred Buff Orpingtons, show birds. Eggs \$1.50 a setting. John H. Aley, 126 South Mulberry street. Hanamo 4614.

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MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, WEDNESDAY, MAR. 11, 1914

NO. 241.

HAD A GOOD YEAR

THE CITY WATER PLANT MADE MONEY THE FIRST YEAR.

IT SHOULD EARN \$8,000

In the Future—What the Report of the Board of Public Works For the First Year Shows.

The following is a statement from the Board of Public Works in regard to what was accomplished at the city water plant for the first year:

The Board of Public Works feels that the people of Maryville are probably interested in knowing the net results of the operation of the water plant for the first year of the city's ownership.

In brief the following figures tell the result:

Cash on hand at the end of the year from operation.....\$3,000.20
Interest paid on water bonds 1,800.00
Unpaid accounts due the city at end of year..... 586.80
Cost value of supplies and fuel on hands..... 798.00

Total net earnings.....\$6,185.00

In addition there was over \$2,500 paid out of the earnings for repairs and petty construction. This is almost double the amount expended annually for such purposes in the last three or four years of the plant under its old ownership and is probably double the amount necessary to expend for such purposes in the future.

It must be kept in mind that money put into petty construction is increasing the value of the plant to that amount. About \$1,250 of the \$2,500 was for petty construction and might be considered with the net earnings.

It is also very easy to understand that the cost of repairs last year, during the reconstruction of the plant, was necessarily much larger than it should be in the future with the plant now in good going condition.

The cost of fuel last year was from \$1,200 to \$1,500 more than in former years, to a very considerable extent due to the conditions existing at the power plant on account of the old pumps, old boilers and the exposed condition of the same during a considerable part of the year, and the further fact that the old standpipe was practically out of service during all of the year, which resulted in continuous pumping against direct pressure and under very unfavorable conditions all around. The board feels very certain that the fuel cost for this and the following years will be probably \$1,500 less than in the past year.

In the face of the above figures and facts it would seem quite certain that the net earnings of the plant in the future should not be less than \$8,000 in addition to expending such an amount for repairs and renewals as to keep the plant up in good going condition.

It requires something like \$7,900 a year to pay the interest on the water bonds and create the necessary sinking fund to retire the bonds at the end of twenty years, so that the board and the people have every reason to believe that the plant is going to do for the city, in actual dollars and cents even more than was expected at the time it was decided to take over the same. With the increase in patronage which should result from the improved condition of the plant and the increasing population of the city, it would seem that the earnings of the plant should be sufficient to pay for it probably within the first fifteen years. Then it must not be forgotten that by taking over the plant the city prevented an increase in the water rates of approximately 50 per cent, thereby saving to the citizens at least \$4,000 a year in the amount they would have had to pay for the water service. It would therefore seem that there should be no further question or discussion of the financial wisdom of the city owning the plant. In addition to this financial gain we now expect to have a continuous uninterrupted run of superior service and a superior quality of water which is of even

greater value.

The board of public works has not been disposed to do much talking about the plant because they have had enough to contend with in its reconstruction and all of the perils and chances involved therein without indulging in discussions. The patience of the great majority of our people during this perilous and uncertain time has been appreciated, and while at times the service has been unsatisfactory to the people, and more so to the board, we submit if we cannot now all congratulate ourselves that we got through with the hazardous work of reconstructing the vital working parts of the plant with no greater troubles than were experienced. The board feels that it is due to the present administration to say to the people that the patience of the mayor and of the board of aldermen and their willingness at all times and under all circumstances to support and assist the board of public works and the management of the water plant has greatly aided in the results which have been achieved. It is very much to the credit of the mayor and the board of aldermen that they have not allowed political considerations or conditions of any sort to embarrass the water plant.

It should also be remembered by the people that the mayor and board of aldermen were true to the proposition of reducing the general levy and other levies for taxes as not to allow the levy for the water bonds to increase the taxes. In fact, as is generally known, the taxes have been very considerably reduced in the past year.

If future administrations are as careful in keeping politics out of the affairs of the water plant and as loyal in support of the best interests of the plant the success of the plant is assured.

It is the intention of the board of public works to soon have the accounts of the water plant audited by experts from the beginning down to date and a detailed financial statement will then be made.

At the present time there remains on hand about \$8,300 of the \$100,000 voted to purchase and improve the plant, which will more than pay for all the work contemplated in the further improvement of the plant and the laying of the new mains.

KIRKSVILLE ADOPTS NEW RULE.

By Almost 2 to 1, Commission Government Won in Missouri Town.

By a vote of 482 to 268 Kirksville yesterday adopted commission government. The vote was about 600 short of the usual vote cast in Kirksville in municipal elections.

PRESIDED AT CONFERENCE HERE.

Bishop Thomas Bowman, Who Died Last Week, Was Known in Maryville.

The funeral of Bishop Thomas Bowman, who died on Tuesday, March 3, was held at Greencastle, Ind., on Friday, March 6. Bishop Bowman presided at the Methodist Episcopal church conference held in Maryville from March 27, to April 2, 1878. During that conference Judge Ira K. Alderman was managing editor of the conference daily and knew Bishop Bowman well.

From the Greencastle paper is an article on Bishop Bowman, written by O. H. Smith, formerly president of the old Maryville seminary.

ECLIPSE THIS EVENING.

Moon Will Pass Into the Shadow a Little Before 9 o'Clock.

A partial eclipse of the moon, almost total, visible here from 8:42 p. m. to 11:44 p. m., will occur Wednesday evening. The size of the eclipse when at its greatest will be about 11 digits, or 11-12 of the moon's diameter.

The first contact of the limbs of the shadow and the moon will take place on the eastern limb of the moon, from which point she will pass eastward and southward, being at her descending node through the earth's black shadow.

The first indications of the eclipse will be visible here at 8:42 p. m., from which time the shadow will increase until 10:13 p. m., lessening from that hour until 11:55 p. m., when the moon will emerge from the earth's shadow.

If the skies are clear an excellent opportunity will be afforded for observing the phenomenon, the only lunar eclipse this year which will be visible in this part of the country.

A partial eclipse of the moon will take place September 4, but the beginning only will be visible in the United States and that on the Pacific coast alone.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Frank went to Bolckow Tuesday evening for a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. F. I. Dunn.

WILL SPEAK HERE

MRS. WEEKS OF KANSAS CITY COMING TO MARYVILLE.

AN ORGANIZATION HERE

Known as Parent-Teacher Association—Meeting in High School Auditorium Thursday Evening.

Mrs. Edwin R. Weeks of Kansas City, vice president of the National Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teachers' association, will be in Maryville Thursday evening to complete the new organization of parents and teachers in Maryville.

The meeting will be held in the high school auditorium at 7:45 o'clock, and everybody interested in the work of the schools is invited to be present.

Mrs. Weeks is a very pleasant and entertaining speaker and all who come will be both edified and happlified thereby.

Mrs. Weeks is editor of "Parents and Their Problems," and has had seventeen years' experience as a high school teacher. She is the mother of Miss Ruth M. Weeks, author of "The People's School," the vocational school, and has held office with the National Congress of Mothers since its organization in 1897.

The result of the parent-teachers association in every place has been to double the educational service of the schools, for through it the home and school are brought in such close relationship that parents and teachers work together constantly in the interest of the children. The rearing of children is the greatest of all sciences, and if the present childhood of the country is properly reared the standards of the entire race will be raised.

The organization of parents and teachers will interest men and women in a work for purer, truer homes; promote high ideals of marriage and maintain its sacredness and permanence, arouse the whole country to a sense of its duty and responsibility to childhood and surround the childhood of the whole world with that loving, wise care in the impressionable years of life that will develop good citizens, instead of law breakers and criminals; to teach young people opportunities to learn that which will enable them to better perform the duties of parenthood. In short, it is for the purpose of making life interesting, profitable and happy for parents, children and teachers.

The program that will precede Mrs. Weeks' address Thursday evening is as follows:

Invocation, Rev. S. D. Harkness.
Duet, Miss Marie Jones, Miss Nellie Wray.
Address, President Ira Richardson of the Normal.
Solo, Mrs. F. P. Robinson.
Address, Mrs. Weeks.
Business session.

THE KOCH FARM SOLD.

E. F. Wolfert, the Purchaser, Gave \$25,000 for the 288-Acre Tract.

The farm of Dr. C. D. Koch, located four and a half miles east of Maryville, was sold Tuesday to E. F. Wolfert. The farm contains 288 acres and was sold for \$25,000.

BROTHERHOOD BANQUET.

Epworth League Will Serve at First M. E. Church Thursday Evening at 7 o'Clock.

The Brotherhood of the First M. E. church will hold its regular banquet Thursday evening in the church parlors. The Epworth League will serve the banquets at 25 cents per plate.

At the close of the feast the new officers for the Brotherhood will be installed, and other business of importance will be disposed of.

Marriage Licenses.

Earl Stevenson.....Skidmore
Vina Roberts.....Maidland
Wilmer L. Hubbard.....Barnard
Cora L. Sell.....Barnard
Wm. R. Williams.....Burlington Jet.
Viola E. Race.....Burlington Jet.
Lewis Pitts.....Burlington Jet.
Mrs. G. C. Cadwell.....Burlington Jet.

Moving to Excelsior Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Layman left Wednesday morning for their new home at Excelsior Springs, Mo. They have been residents of this county for many years.

Miss Daisy Young went to Bedison Wednesday to spend a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Wright. Her grandfather, better known as Uncle Tommy Wright, is in quite feeble health.

TO ERECT BUILDING

THE MASONIC BODIES ARE FIGURING ON IT.

Y.M.C.A. TO TAKE PART

Various Brotherhoods Are Talking of Helping Out in the Enterprise So as to Get Part of Building.

The Masonic organizations of Maryville have under discussion the erection of a lodge building. It is reported that one of the difficulties in the way is the finding of a suitable renter for the first floor and all or a part of the basement.

Now, it is generally understood that there is a growing sentiment among the brotherhoods of the various churches in favor of a Y. M. C. A.

Here is an opportunity that Maryville people cannot afford to pass by without giving it due consideration.

Maryville is greatly in need of some such building where the young people and the old can congregate on Sunday afternoons and at other times for instruction and entertainment. With the Masonic organizations backing such a movement the Y. M. C. A. advocates can more easily afford to pay the rent on the first floor and basement than they could by attempting to raise funds for an adequate Y. M. C. A. building alone.

Towns of smaller population maintain Y. M. C. A. buildings. Why shouldn't Maryville with all its wealth and prosperity maintain a creditable institution of like nature?

The Democrat-Forum suggests that representatives of the various brotherhoods be appointed to meet and discuss plans with representatives of the Masonic organizations for the new building. Everyone boost for a Masonic home and Y. M. C. A. building!

Communication

Motor Propelled Fire Apparatus for Fire Department.

Editor Democrat-Forum: We are now an up-to-date city in most every respect, except our fire fighting fixtures. Every up-to-date city has motor propelled vehicles for that purpose.

Our city has now grown within the last four years from a city of 5,000 to now over 7,000 people. Isn't it a fact that the cause of this is the progressive spirit that prevails among us?

Under the present economical administration our taxes have been reduced, notwithstanding the issuing of a hundred thousand dollars worth of bonds, which have been so invested as to be a revenue producer, instead of a burden upon our taxpaying citizens.

We could sell our present equipment to some smaller city and realize all it is worth, and apply the proceeds on the new equipment.

We own our water plant, we have one of the finest white ways of any city of much larger population. Now why not purchase a motor propelled fire apparatus for our splendid fire-fighting ladders, that we may encourage them and let them know that we appreciate the splendid service that they have given us in the past. We are living in an automobile age, in an age of progress.

Come on, let's be progressive.

F. P. REULLARD.

Brought to Hospital.

Everett Fast, son of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Fast of Burlington Junction, was brought to St. Francis hospital Wednesday forenoon. The young man has been very ill of pneumonia, and a silver drainage tube was inserted in one of his lungs to relieve the diseased organ.

To Be Given Friday Night.

On account of illness the concert to be given by the Ravenwood orchestra last Friday night had to be postponed and will be given at the opera house of that town on Friday, March 13.

Mrs. Emery Proffit of Oregon was a visitor in the city Monday.

W. O. W. Dance

ON

Friday, March 13th

IN

WOODMEN HALL

A good time is promised
Everybody Invited

IDEA OF A BEAUTIFUL CITY.

Clean Streets and Well Trimmed Shade Trees Come Under the Head of Improvement.

What lovelier setting can be made for a picture than well trimmed shade trees, smooth shaven, well kept lawns and clean streets?

This suggestion was made to a reporter Monday by a Maryville woman, who is always working for the beautifying of her home city. Continuing, she said: "We can have one of the prettiest cities in the state if we will pay attention to the requisite details. It is true some of the lawns in the city are well kept, but there are a great many that pass through the summer without attention, and it is these lawns and parkings which mar the beauty of those adjoining which the property owners spend many hours in putting into shape and then have the beauty of his work taken away by an unsightly lawn or parking adjoining. Some citizens allow the weeds and grass to grow to unsightly height, the tin cans to stack up in the back yards, pieces of the last new calico dress of the numerous kiddies frequently in evidence, the tail feathers of the last slaughtered rooster blowing gracefully hither and yon, the pieces of the last Sunday supplement waving in the breeze and at last weariedly reposed on the next door neighbor's smooth shaven lawn.

Thus it is at present. Wearied of efforts to have beautiful lawns, the cry goes up from these disheartened ones, is there no way to awaken civic pride in our town. We have good people; no city has better. Now when the breath of spring is in the air, the house cleaning spirit pervading each home, let us broaden out and decide we will not be the ones who will be a drawback to our neighbors, but will each do our own part. It has been suggested that when women take hold of a project they do not let go until they accomplish their object. Could we not raise a spirit of emulation, call neighbors together and ask each one to aid in making ours the prettiest kept block or street in the city?

Making all efforts toward harmony and beauty we can have a city of which we may be proud. Women of Maryville, you who listen to no cry in vain, will you help to beautify each your own yard and help your neighbor?

WILL BE HELD MAY 9.

Eighth Grade Commencement and Field Meet For Jefferson Township at That Time.

The teachers of Jefferson township have met and organized for the eighth grade commencement and field meet and have set the date for May 9, 1914.

The officers elected are as follows: Managers—M. Maura and Miss Margaret McCann; secretary, Miss May Allen; treasurer, Miss Maude Winslow; committee of field meet, D. M. Feagans and Prof. W. M. Oakerson.

The following events were decided upon for the Field Meet:

50 yard dash and return, for boys of grades 6, 7 and 8.
50 yard dash, for boys of grades 3 and 4.
50 yard dash, for boys of grades 1 and 2.
Ball throwing contest, for girls of grades 6, 7 and 8.
50 yard dash, for girls of grades 1 and 2.
50 yard dash, for girls of grades 3, 4 and 5.
High Jump, for boys of grades 6, 7 and 8.
Running Broad Jump, for boys of grades 3, 4 and 5.
Hitting Contest, for girls of grades 5, 6, 7 and 8.
Sack Race, for boys and girls of grades 2, 3 and 4.

TO LECTURE HERE.

Dr. P. I. Fulkerson of St. Joseph to Talk On the Care of the Eyes.

The general public is cordially invited to attend the lecture to be given Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at the court house by Dr. P. I. Fulkerson of St. Joseph on the care of the eyes. The State Medical society arranged for Dr. Fulkerson to come here for the County Medical society.

Miss Dena Bolin of Franklin, Neb., who has been visiting the family of T. J. Chesney of Stanberry, was in Maryville Wednesday on her way home.

Mrs. J. H. Blackwell went to Moberly Wednesday to visit her parents.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Thursday; rising temperature Thursday; moderate north winds becoming variable.

FOR A FLAG CITY

G. W. LIEBER, FORMERLY OF MARYVILLE, STARTS MOVEMENT.

OKLAHOMA CITY PLACE

The Rotary Club Daily News Compares George W. Lieber With George Washington.

An effort is being made by the Rotary club of Oklahoma City, Okla., to make that city the Flag City of the nation.

George W. Lieber, formerly of Maryville, started the movement, and for two or three weeks past has left his desk in the Times-Journal Publishing company's office to sell flags throughout the city.

The Rotary club is publishing a little daily newspaper of business news about Oklahoma City business men, their visitors, their weekly luncheons and the speakers, thereof, and the number we received Wednesday morning has announcement of the opening of a new store, a flag store, the first one in town, and made necessary by the flag idea George Lieber started. It is run by the committee on decoration for the coming stockmen's convention, and all profit on the flags sold go to the fund for decorating the streets for that occasion, and the claim has never been disputed that Oklahoma City has the cleanest streets of any western city.

Here is what the Daily Rotary News says about Mr. Lieber:

Like our beloved own G. W. of revolutionary fame,
In love of flag, love of country, and
likewise him in name;
But in no page of history can we find
a place where he
Is like his noted namesake as regards
the cherry tree.

With a name of this kind it is no wonder he is working day and night to make Oklahoma City the flag city of the nation. He just can't help it, and what is more he is succeeding. Oklahoma City Rotary is proud indeed to possess a member of this kind and the least we can say is that we are for you, George, good and strong.

Like a great many of our boys, he was born in the good old "show me" state. The place was Maryville, which is in Nowaday county, the banner corn-county of the world. It alone raises more corn than many of our states. The time of his birth is March 19th, but the rest seems to be veiled in mystery. Your editor was unable to ascertain just the year of this memorable event, and from his youthful appearance we are reluctant to hazard a guess.

Up to the time of his early manhood his favorite occupation was wood sawing. If he can saw wood as well as he does other things, we venture no old Missouri buck saw ever got the best of him. On some mornings he would get up early and saw up a few cords just to give him an appetite for breakfast.

Since coming to Oklahoma he has been in several different lines of business. He sold toys and novelties for a few months, bought cotton and operated a gin during one season, kept books and sold coal and feed, but finally landed in a business about fifteen years ago that seemed to meet all requirements, the printing line.

For nearly fifteen years he has been connected with the Times-Journal Publishing company, the oldest established concern in the state of Oklahoma in the printing trade.

They have recently enlarged their plant by adding 25x140 feet to their floor space and it is one of the offices in our city where the glad hand is always out, whether you call on business or in a social way. It is said of the employees of this concern that they all work with the management and not for them as is so often the case in manufacturing institutions.

Miss Cora Snapp of New York City, who has been visiting in Maryville several days in the home of Nathaniel Sisson, went to Kansas City Wednesday morning.

We Have Moved

To Our New Location

One Door South of Montgomery Shoe Co.

H. T. CRANE

SOCIAL

At Christian church, Thursday night, March 12, 8 o'clock.

Program for one hour—"Last Day of School."

Social hour—Fun and fun.

Refreshments served by the Endeavor society.

Come. We serve the eats.

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POLITICAL NOTES.

(By Democratic Press Bureau.)

The Democratic income tax will bring in something like a hundred million dollars the first year. Rich folks pay every penny of this sum. The Democratic tariff will reduce the cost of sugar, clothing, shoes, woollens, etc., to the extent of a hundred million dollars the first year, and every penny of this saving will remain in the hands of the earners and consumers of this country. In taxing wealth on the one hand and relieving the earner and consumer on the other, the Democratic party, like a good rule, is working both ways to fine advantage.

The latest testimonial to the merits of the Wilson administration come from Ex-President Taft and Chairman Hills of the Republican national committee, both of whom find much to commend and nothing to criticize in the course the Democratic president has pursued. With a united Democratic party behind him and with plenty of praise and commendation from leaders of the opposition party the president begins his second year under auspices unprecedented in all the history of the United States.

Charged With White Slavery.

The federal grand jury in session at St. Joseph this week returned a true bill against Thomas W. Miller, charged with white slavery. Miller is accused of having taken a woman from Red Oak, Ia., to Maryville, and was arrested at this place several months ago. He has been in jail at Savannah.

R. McClurg, Conception, a brakeman for the Chicago Great Western railroad, reported to the police last night that considerable clothing belonging to him was stolen from a box car in the Chicago Great Western yards.—St. Joseph Gazette.

Fern To-night

7-8-9 p. m.

By Man's Law

Biograph drama in two reels, this is a strong story with a moral.

The Girl in the
House Boat
An Edison Drama

ADMISSION
5 and 10c

A CHILD'S LAXATIVE IS "SYRUP OF FIGS"

They Love to Take It and It Doesn't
Harm the Tender Little Stomach,
Liver and Bowels.

If your little one's tongue is coated, it is a sure sign the stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once. When your child is cross, peevish, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, eat or act naturally; if breath is bad, stomach sour, system full of cold, throat sore, or if feverish, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the clogged-up, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again.

Sick children needn't be coaxed to take this harmless "fruit laxative." Millions of mothers keep it handy because they know its action on the stomach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure. They also know a little given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Don't be fooled!—Advertisement.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—14,000. Market slow. Estimate tomorrow, 5,000.
Hogs—31,000. Market weak; top, \$8.75. Estimate tomorrow, 2,600.
Sheep—32,000. Market 10c lower.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—4,000. Market strong.
Hogs—7,000. Market weak; top, \$8.70.

Sheep—8,000. Market 10c lower.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,000. Market strong.
Hogs—4,000. Market slow; top, \$8.60.

Sheep—5,000. Market slow.

Auto Livery Always

ALL-WAYS

Homer W. Shipp
Roy A. Yeaman
at Wilderman's Garage



We have many difficult cases of eye troubles to deal with—optical defects—that only glasses will relieve. You may have had other glasses that did not suit you, and been thoroughly disgusted with them, but that is no reason why you shouldn't take time to get glasses that are worth while. No any glasses, but ones that are exactly suited to your eyes. Our examinations are thorough and accurate. When will you call?

H. T. CRANE
Jeweler and Optician.

F. M. Ryan, M.D.

Internal Medicine
And Assistant Surgeon

Geo. A. Nash, M. D.

Surgery and Diseases
of Women

SPECIAL PRICES FOR

Thursday, Friday and Saturday

FOR CASH OR PRODUCE

100 pounds Granulated Sugar	\$4.40
3 Cans Red Kidney Beans	.25
3 Cans Huminy	.25
3 Cans Kraut	.25
3 Cans Pink Salmon	.25
3 Cans Pumpkin	.25
Libby's Pork and Beans, 15c size	.10
3 Cans Go d Sweet Corn	.25
15c Package Corn Flakes	.10
4 Dozen Clothes Pins	.05
Good Navy Beans, per pound	4 1/2c
Whole Jap Rice, 5 pounds for	.25
Try our Gilt Edge Flour	1.10
Gold Leaf	1.05

Every Sack Guaranteed

With Every \$3.00 Order we will give FREE—ONE MEAT PLATTER, worth from 30 to 40c.

OUR NEW, WALL PAPER is in, let us figure your bill for you. We also have a nice line of STAPLE DRY GOODS, AND NOTIONS of all kinds.

Childress Department Store

North Side Square

AN OLD RESIDENT OF HOPKINS.

Mrs. Nancy Cook Had Lived in Vicinity of Hopkins Over Fifty Years—Funeral Thursday.

Mrs. Nancy J. Cook of Hopkins, widow of the late William P. Cook of that place, died at her home at 2 o'clock Wednesday morning of a paralytic stroke she received Tuesday morning. W. T. Boatwright and Mrs. Ira Bailey of near Maryville were called to her bedside Tuesday noon.

It is expected the funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at the Baptist church in Hopkins. Mrs. Cook was past 84 years of age. She had been a resident of Nodaway county since 1846, coming here from Kentucky. Her husband died in 1911. She is survived by four children.

St. Patrick's and all kinds of post cards at Crane's.

St. Patrick's and all kinds of post cards at Crane's.

FOR SALE—Home canned fruit at 1303 East Second street. 11-13

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Agee and daughter of Whitesville, who have been visiting with Mrs. George Meek and family, returned home Wednesday.

Miss Jennie Purviance of North Buchanan street went to Savannah Wednesday morning to visit Mrs. Otis Morrison.

HOW A BROOKLYN GIRL

Got Strong and Well Again.

Grace D. Lamb of Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "I was all run down and on the verge of nervous prostration. I could not sleep for pain in my back. In all I was a wreck. A friend told me what Vinol had done for her little girl so I tried it. I noticed an improvement after the first bottle. I could sleep well, my appetite improved, and after taking three bottles I am strong and well again."

Vinol is the most efficient strength creator for such women. It is the medicinal elements of the cod's livers contained in Vinol aided by the blood making and strengthening properties of tonic iron which makes it so far superior to all other tonics to build up health and strength for weak, tired, ailing women. It contains no oil and has a delicious taste.

We give back your money if Vinol does not do all that we claim.—Orear-Henry Drug Co., Maryville, Mo.—Advertisement.

With Sewell & Carter.

Mart Carmichael, formerly of Hopkins, has moved to Maryville and will be with Sewell & Carter as salesman for Overland and Cadillac cars.

Miss Verdia Daniel of Barnard, a Conservatory student, who has been confined to the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Spier of this city for a week on account of illness from acute indigestion, was able to return home Tuesday evening. She was accompanied by Mrs. Spier.

CATARRH VICTIMS

Use Hyomei—You Breathe It.

It's the right-to-the-point remedy not only for catarrh, but for head colds, sniffles, bronchitis, laryngitis or croup of children. You breathe it—no stomach dosing.

You will like Hyomei. It not only gives instant and lasting relief, but is entirely harmless, pleasant to use, and economical. Money refunded by the Orear-Henry Drug Co. if you are not benefited.

Hyomei is a combination of antiseptic oils that mixes with the air and quickly reaches the irritated and inflamed membrane of the nose. It's sure and safe healing begins immediately—you feel better at once.

If suffering from watery eyes, husky voice, discharge from the nose, or that choked-up feeling, try Hyomei now—today. All druggists sell it. Ask for the complete outfit.—\$1.00 size.

\$10-GIVEN AWAY IN PRIZES-\$10

By the Snow Drop Poultry Yards, home of White Wyandottes. Write for particulars.

Buy eggs of me and be the winner of a prize.

Eggs, \$1.00 per 15; \$5.00 per 100 right at your door by parcel post. I won at Maryville show 1913, 1st pen, 1st and 2d cockerel, 1st hen, 2d pullet. Write or phone your order to

O. V. PUGSLEY,
Ravenwood, Mo.

Cockroaches Rats and Mice

Nothing is more disagreeable than a home infested with vermin. Destroy them with Stearns' Electric Rat and Roach Paste, the standard exterminator for thirty-five years.

It kills off rats, mice and cockroaches in a single night. Ready for use; no mixing. Does not blow away like powders.

Directions in 15 languages in every package. Two sizes: 2c and \$1.00. Sold by retailers everywhere.

RIGHT AWAY

The high cost of living in Maryville, as far as meats are concerned, Will be Materially

REDUCED

For more reasons than one. But mainly because President Wilson and his party have said that such should be the case. So we feel, in due respect to Mr. Wilson, that the time is ripe to fulfill at least a part of that promise to the general public. Hence beginning tomorrow morning we will sell:

All Steaks at, per pound.....20c
Plate Boils, per pound.....12 1-2c
Best Roasts, per pound.....16 2-3c
We have 5,000 pounds of choice home rendered lard which we will sell while it lasts 2 pounds for.....25c

"A WORD TO THE WISE IS SUFFICIENT"

PHONES: Hanamo 44, Farmers 78

A. VANDERSLOOT, CITY MEAT MARKET

117 West Third Street, Maryville, Missouri

N. B.—We have Auto Delivery

Our Motto: "Prompt and Efficient Service."

Mrs. Catherine Brady of Plattsburg, who has been visiting Maryville friends returned home Wednesday morning.

Judge and Mrs. I. K. Alderman went to St. Joseph Wednesday morning to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. Dale V. Alderman.

Mrs. B'hard Hardenbrook of Bedford, Ia., who has been visiting the families of Eugene Ogden, Frank Goodspeed and O. A. Spickerman, returned home Wednesday.

Franklin county lump or nut coal, \$5.00 per ton. WM. EVERHART.

Mrs. Elmer Walker and family and Miss Neva Walker, who have been living west of Maryville, left Tuesday evening for their new home, near Aurora, Kan.

St. Patrick's and all kinds of post cards at Crane's.

SPECIAL

Our Pre-Inventory sale closes Sat., March 14, only a few days left to take advantage of this grand opportunity to buy good goods at right prices.

HOTCHKIN'S

Variety Store

IF WE CAN'T MAKE THAT WATCH OF YOURS GO

You may just as well give it to the baby to play with.

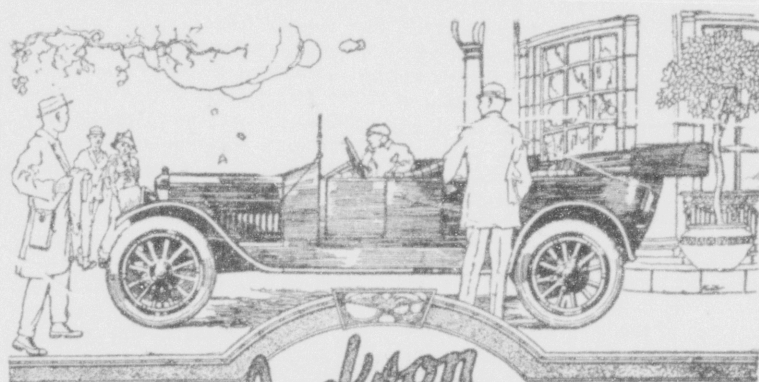
JAS. STEWART, who has had 30 years experience, has charge of our watch repairing department. We can get all of the service out of your watch that there is in it, even down to the last tick. Let us try it—Is all We Ask.

Raines Brothers
JEWELRY & OPTICIAN

Spring Announcement

Our Spring Woolens are here. If you are in need of a Spring Suit, Overcoat, Extra Trousers, we will be glad to show you. Our Woolens are exclusive patterns and are now in stock.

DIETZ and KECK



Jackson
No Hill too Steep
No Sand too Deep

Consider Comfort—

Do this and you become more than ever a Jackson Prospect. Because in this feature also the Jackson stands unexcelled.

"Olympic" . . . \$1435
"Majestic" . . . 1935
"Sultan" . . . 2160

All Prices Delivered

BARMANN AUTO CO., Maryville, Mo.



Scene From Second Act "WITHIN THE LAW"

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

Informal Evening Party.

Miss Nelle Campbell entertained informally a company of eight at cards and a luncheon Tuesday evening.

Announce Engagement.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lanning of this city announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Velma, to Verlin Conley, son of J. M. Conley of this city. The wedding will take place Wednesday, March 25.

Reynolds-Proffitt.

A quiet wedding took place Monday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of Dennis Reynolds, when his son, Lome Reynolds, and Miss Ina Proffitt of Oregon, Mo., were united in marriage, the Rev. Hale officiating. The guests were immediate relatives. After the ceremony refreshments were served.

Social Neighbors Club Met.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Ringgold entertained the Social Neighbors club at their home on Friday evening, March 6. A two-course luncheon was served by the hostess, which was enjoyed by all. A short business meeting was then held and the remainder of the evening was spent in music, games and social conversation. The next meeting will be in four weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ellet Trueblood.

Theater and Luncheon.

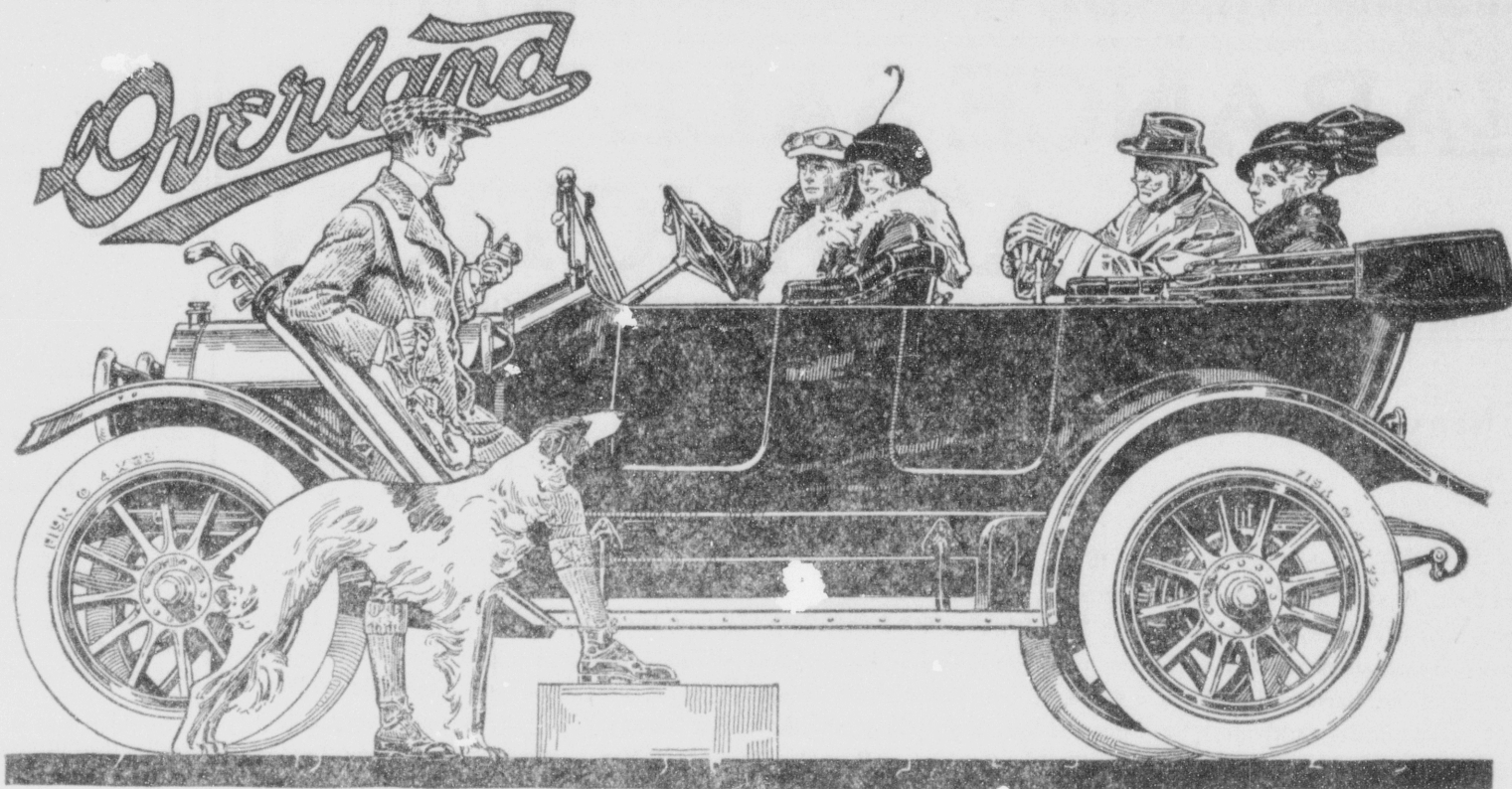
The Merry Minglers club, whose membership includes a number of young people living south of Maryville, met at the Carnegie library Monday evening and attended the picture show at the Empire. After the theater they enjoyed luncheon at the Candy Kitchen. The members present were Misses Edna Gray, Helen and Mildred Wamsley, May Shipp, Margaret Bolin, Pauline Woodward, Messrs. Chester and Earl Espey, Fay Corrough, George Wamsley, Ray Shipp, Frank and Fred Gray.

Miss DeHart Wins Honor.

Miss Maurine DeHart of Cameron, sister of Mr. Louis DeHart of this city, has become eligible to membership in the Kappa Phi sorority through certain scholastic attainments made this year at Stephens college at Columbia, Mo., where she entered last September. Miss DeHart was one of 16 out of 120 girls who were able to meet the requirements of the Kappa Phi sorority. The scholastic standing for membership must be gained the first semester. Miss DeHart has frequently visited her brother in Maryville, was a student at the summer school of the Normal last year, and was one of the most popular girls of the school. Her friends here will be glad to know of her success.

Shakespeareans Gave Program.

There was an unusually large attendance of the members of the Shakespearean and Arts and Crafts departments of the Twentieth Century club Tuesday afternoon, when Mrs. C. C. Corwin was hostess. The two departments met at that time as a compliment to Mrs. S. R. Beech, who has always been a prominent member of



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both divisions of the club, and will soon sever her relations with them.

The program, acts 4 and 5 of "As You Like It," was given by the Shakespeareans. Mrs. M. G. Tate gave the outline of act 4, and Mrs. George Robert Eaton, Mrs. M. J. Honnold, Mrs. F. G. Shoemaker and Mrs. G. B. Holmes answered the following questions: Account for Jaques' interest in Orlando and in Rosalind. Is it owing to their youth? How old do you take Jaques to be? How do you defend the forwardness of many of Shakespeare's heroines in love making? What is said of a woman's wit? What is Celia's humorous comment on Rosalind's ecstatic state? What new aspect of Rosalind is seen in her reading of the letter of Phoebe? What message does Rosalind send?

The outline of act 5 was given by Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend. The questions regarding this act were answered by Mrs. Anderson Craig, Mrs. Beech and Mrs. D. J. Thomas. They were: Why has William not been introduced before? What points of autobiography does Touchstone furnish? What becomes of Jaques after the company in the forest disappears? What is his prophecy for each of the men? Why has he no words for the women? Why are almost the last words of the drama in character given to him to speak? The general discussion of the afternoon's study was led by Mrs. Thomas. Current events were given by Mrs. E. G. Orear and the word drill by Miss Grace Langan.

The guests remained for tea with their hostess and a delightful social

time was enjoyed with the honor guest, Mrs. Beech, who was presented a bouquet of violets.

Entertained Friends.

A very pretty party was given Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Thompson, east of Guilford, by their younger daughter, Miss Evelyn, complimentary to Misses Ruth and Marie Beahm, who will soon leave for their new home in Kansas. The evening was spent in playing games and music. On their departure the guests expressed themselves as having spent a most delightful evening. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. Homer Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Thompson, Mrs. Lizzie Allen, Misses Ruth and Marie Beahm, Roxie Young, Mary Wilson, Otha Rindel, Bird Wilson, Phema Potts, Maysel Hinkle, Getha Laughlin, Celta McGeorge, Virginia Thompson, Lorene Thompson, Beulah Thompson of Barnard, Messrs. Ava Giffin, Albert and Henry Potts, Clyde Cofer, Virgil, Russell and Harvey Laughlin, Charles Beahm, Roland Richards, Donald and Harold Allen, Kenneth Hinkle, Clarence Summers, Chester and Warren Wilson, Lawrence Young.

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Mrs. J. F. Montgomery and Miss Ruth Montgomery went to St. Joseph Wednesday morning for a short visit with Miss Pearl McClurg.

Mrs. James Thompson of Barnard returned home Tuesday evening from a visit with her sister, Mrs. S. A. Hutchison, South Fillmore street.

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The purpose of this sale is not money, but its an effort to dispose at your price, one of the largest stocks of Farm Machinery and Farm Implements in Northwest Missouri; and not an old or second hand article to be offered. Its not an annual opening, nor a discount sale, **BUT ITS THE REAL STUFF.**

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CENTENARY.

Blackbirds in great numbers are welcoming spring.

The Centenary Sunday school is steadily increasing. Sunday we had fifty-four in attendance.

On Tuesday night, March 17, there is to be an oyster supper at Centenary church. This supper is given by the men. Everybody cordially invited. Fresh oysters will be served.

March 10 was the day set aside for painting the church outside, but this was postponed on account of the weather.

The Woman's Missionary society will hold their next meeting the first Thursday in April at Mrs. N. B. Shrewsbury's.

Aunt Martha Logan, who has been critically ill, is some better.

Ray Barker visited over Sunday at Elmo.

Mrs. N. B. Shrewsbury and Sallie McDonald spent Monday with Mrs. Lester Linville, helping paper.

Dollie McDonald, who is teaching at Overton, Nev., writes they are having floods in that part of the country to the extent that it has stopped the mail for several days at a time.

Ralph Strader of Maryville, who is teaching at Fairfax, visited home folks Saturday and Sunday.

I. D. Tarpley, who has been suffering with ulcerated teeth, is better after a visit to Dr. Jesse Miller's Saturday.

N. B. Shrewsbury had an attack of grip and was not able to attend Sunday school Sunday.

Mrs. Glen Jones, who has been a patient at St. Francis hospital, is much improved but not yet able to come home.

I. D. Tarpley was called to Oklahoma by the death of his niece, Allie Tarpley. While there he visited with Jerry and Doc Albright and found them in the best of health and spirits.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Agee of Whitesville visited in Maryville Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. George Meek.

Mrs. Patrick J. O'Donnell of near Arkoe was shopping in Maryville Tuesday.

Home From Hospital.

C. F. Gittings of Clyde came to Maryville Wednesday morning and accompanied Mrs. Gittings home from St. Francis hospital. Mrs. Gittings was operated on for appendicitis two weeks ago and is recovering nicely.

Railway Official Here.

Superintendent J. C. Ferritor of the Illinois Traction system at Staunton, Ill., visited his brother, Agent E. L. Ferritor of the Wabash, Wednesday forenoon.

Operated On at Hospital.

Mrs. John L. Coleman of South Main street was operated on Wednesday morning at St. Francis hospital for appendicitis.

On Visit to Daughter.

Christian Schaaf went to Columbia, Mo., Wednesday for a two months' visit with his daughter, Mrs. Wyatt.

Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the

ARKOE STATE BANK,

At Arkoe, state of Missouri, at the close of business on the 4th day of March, 1914, published in the Democrat-Forum, a newspaper printed and published at Maryville, state of Missouri, on the 11th day of March, 1914:

Resources.

Loans and discounts, undoubtedly good on personal or collateral	\$20,493.46
Overdrafts	866.60
Real estate (banking house)	1,580.40
Other real estate	750.00
Furniture and fixtures	1,208.39
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check	16,972.02
Cash items	113.50
Currency	1,086.00
Specie	694.01
Total	\$43,764.38

Liabilities.

Capital stock paid in	\$10,000.00
Surplus fund	200.00
Undivided profits, net	1,102.62
Individual deposits subject to check	28,629.30
Time certificates of deposit	3,832.46
Total	\$43,764.38

State of Missouri, county of Nodaway, ss.

We, Samuel Corrough as president, and J. T. Goff as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

SAMUEL CORROUGH, President.
J. T. GOFF, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of March, A. D. nineteen hundred and fourteen.

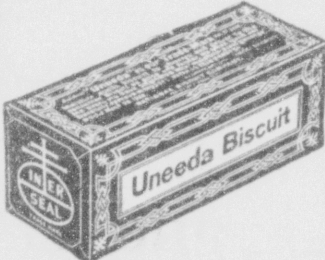
Witness my hand on the date last aforesaid.

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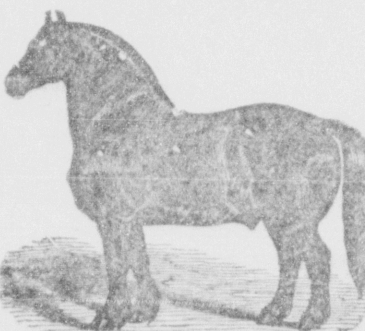
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PURE BRED Shorthorn bulls and heifers for sale. Ogden & Son. 30-12

FOUND—Fountain pen. Ed Brewer, at Maco print shop. 10-12

WANTED—Washing by Mrs. Esther Reynolds, 210 Water street. 9-11

FOR SALE—Shorthorn bulls. August King, Clyde, Mo. 23-12

FOR SALE—6 showcases, 1 No. 494 Howe scales, 1 flat top desk, 1 coffee mill. D. E. Hotchkiss. 9-11

WANTED—I want to rent a good 5 or 6-room house by March 15. Ed Brewer, at Maco Print Shop. 27-12

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LOST—Pair lady's 1-button heavy white kid gloves, in or near Fern theater. Phone 443. 11-13

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FOR SALE—Clover, timothy and alfalfa hay, corn and seed oats. Guy E. Stults, Farmers phone 4014. 10-12

FOR RENT—House wired for electricity. See Maryville Electric Light and Power Co. Hanamo 21. 21-20

LOST—Gold hat pin with two ruby sets, between South Buchanan and Hotchkiss's store. Hanamo 608. 10-12

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room. Apply 613 North Market street. 10-12

FOR SALE—Shorthorn bulls at farmers' prices. Martin Gross & Sons. 10-12

LOST—A collie dog at Pierpoint's sale, March 4th. Call C. T. Porter. Farmers phone 1712.

FOR TRADE—Equity in well improved farm in Oklahoma for property in Maryville or Conception. E. E. Cook. 10-16

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